

# THE Lexington Intelligencer

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"Free as Air," is now obsolete, along with other things once free.

All that seems to be known about the Taylor murder is, that Taylor was shot and killed.

No, kind reader, that was not an earthquake. It was the rumbling in "42" when Judge Davis uttered those sinisters numerals—500 and 6.

The week of February 20-25 has been officially designated University of Missouri Memorial Union Week by proclamation of Governor Hyde. In other words, during that week you are requested to make your contribution for the building of a memorial on the University campus, in memory of the students of the University who lost their lives during the World War.

## WASHINGTON NEWS

### LETTER

(By The Capitol News Service.)

Refusal by the Census Committee of the House to report out an appropriation bill by a vote of 8 to 5, and one democratic member not voting, probably strikes a death blow to the hopes of Governor Arthur M. Hyde for redistricting Missouri before the next general election. The fact that four Republican members joined with a like number of Democrats made the vote conclusive and thus defeated the desire of the other five Republicans, one of whom was Rep. C. L. Faust of Missouri.

It was to obtain action on this bill before adjournment of Congress that Governor Hyde made his recent trip to Washington and, together with Dr. E. B. Clements, chairman of the Republican state committee, called on President Harding, National Chairman Adams and other high officials presumed to have influence with Congress. Governor Hyde insisted that unless this bill were passed and authority given to redistrict the state by a commission, without reference to the legislature, the Democrats of Missouri would invoke the referendum on redistricting bill passed last winter. This, he contended, would suspend the operation of that law and members of Congress would

be forced to run in the old districts, established ten years ago during a Democratic regime and, it is understood, he plainly told Republican leaders the result would be anything but gratifying from a party standpoint. Furthermore, it is an open secret that state Republican leaders are apprehensive of the legislative election in Missouri this fall and, if the Democrats win, the opportunity to redistrict the state from the Republican viewpoint will be lost.

The only hope of reviving the bill is to move that the Census Committee be discharged from further consideration and that the measure be taken up by the House in committee of the whole. This, it is admitted, will be difficult to pass.

Presidential postmasters for Missouri towns whose nominations were transmitted to the Senate last week were: Estella Marquis, Schell City; Frank J. Black, Meadville; Julia Durham, Jacksonville; Archie P. Myrick, Hunter; and Mottie DeVal, Pomona.

The value of cattle, sheep and hogs sold and slaughtered on the farms of Missouri during 1919 is estimated by the Department of Commerce at \$270,830,667, as compared with \$159,239,222 in 1909. This, it is pointed out, represents a gain of 70%.

Representative S. C. Roach of the Eighth district has filed with the House a petition from farmers in his district urging re-establishment of the U. S. Grain Corporation, created during the war, and under which prices were fixed on wheat and other staple agricultural products.

A tabulation just issued by the Census Bureau for Missouri shows that of the 3,404,055 population in that state, 3,225,044 are white and 179,011 are colored, which classification includes negroes, Indians, Chinese and Japanese. Moreover, it is shown that 2,383,282 of the whites and 101,784 of the colored were native born. There are 186,835 whites and 809 colored foreign born.

Confirmation at an early date is anticipated for the two Missourians named last week for high diplomatic positions. They were Roy T. Davis of Columbia, appointed Minister to Costa Rica and Fred M. Dearing, formerly of Columbia but recently serving as assistant Secretary of State, to be Minister to Portugal.

Missouri is not participating as heavily in loans made through the War Finance Corporation for relief of financial distress among farmers and stockmen as

## FARM BUREAU NEWS

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force at the Farm Bureau office. It is such cooperation that makes the work a pleasure, to the agent and patrons.

### Dress Forms:

On Saturday afternoon form demonstration was given at Mrs. Enollenberg's house in the Wheatley school district. Four forms were made, six person attended the demonstration.

The prices of the forms have dropped slightly and is now 75 cents per set. An additional charge of 50 cents is made non-members.

### Poultry Tour.

The tour of poultry farms arranged by the Farm Bureau was held as scheduled Monday the 18th. The poultry farms of Chas. Seuser, Ed. Liese, Ed. Rodekahr, Amos Wahrenbrock and Chas. Brockhoff were visited. The purpose of the tour was primarily the inspection of equipment and as these farms are exceptionally well equipped for poultry raising everyone expressed themselves as very highly pleased with the days observation. About 75 people attended the tour.

### Old Soy Beans.

Farmers are being offered soy beans by a great many seed men at a price considerably below the market. Evidence is very good that these beans are old seed. As one year old beans germinate not more than 50% it makes these beans very high in the end. Lafayette County farmers have an abundance of beans to supply the county demand, all produced last year. Safest proposition will be for farmers desiring to keep in touch with their neighbors who have them for sale.

### Organize Farm Loan Association

A number of farmers met in the Farm Bureau office Saturday the 11th and organized a Federal Farm Loan Association. E. W. Schowengerdt was elected president, Frank Price, vice-president and Frank B. Fulkerson, Secretary. Farmers in need of a loan should get in touch with Mr. Fulkerson.

### Pruning Demonstration.

A pruning demonstration is being arranged for Wednesday, February 22nd at 2 p. m., on the farm of C. F. Hiemeyer near Lexington. Trees of last year's setting, 4-year old trees and old bearing trees will be used in the demonstration.

### Hazel Hill Community Meet.

The Hazel Hill community held a poultry meeting Monday night February 6th. Mrs. Chas. Seuser of Corder, County Poultry Project Leader, addressed the meeting on the development of a farm flock and on incubation problem. County Agent Caldwell discussed poultry culture. Interest shown in poultry was indicated by the audience which packed the school house.

### U. S. Grain Growers Meet.

The Higginsville local U. S. Grain Growers Association met at the Farm Bureau office Tuesday the 14th and re-elected the old officers and elected Sam J. Kleinschmidt delegate to the Congressional Convention to be held in Higginsville, February 22nd and Frank B. Fulkerson and J. C. Fitzpatrick, alternates.

### U. S. Grain Growers Debate.

The debate on the subject of the U. S. Grain Growers at the

are other states in the great agricultural section. During the last week the total of such loans approved was but \$76,000 while loans in some other states, such as Iowa and Minnesota, were fully ten times that much.

Page City School Friday night, the 10th, was exceptionally well attended. The capacity of the assembly rooms was taxed. The subject was discussed by Harry Steele, Jr., of Waverly, affirmative, and A. H. Meinershagen, negative. The decision of the judges was in favor of the affirmative.

### Two Types of Farm Houses.

While the crowd was gathering for the poultry tour, a most welcome surprise was sprung. At Mrs. Ed. Rodekahr's the women and men were invited in to see a remodeled house. Mrs. Rodekahr has a small type of kitchen with built-in work table, supply cupboard for the dishes and pots and pans. A person can sit at the work table and reach almost any part of the kitchen. This is a great step saver for the busy house wife. At Mrs. Amos Wahrenbrock's the women saw the large type kitchen arranged to good advantage. As both the large and the small kitchens are good types for farms, it was interesting to see the small and the large kitchen, one right after the other. The other conveniences of the house were also shown. All the people of the tour are grateful to Mrs. Rodekahr and Mrs. Wahrenbrock for their hospitality in showing the conveniences they are enjoying.

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Mrs. Mary Misenhelter returned to her home in Kansas City Thursday evening after a few days visit here with relatives.

### For The Children.

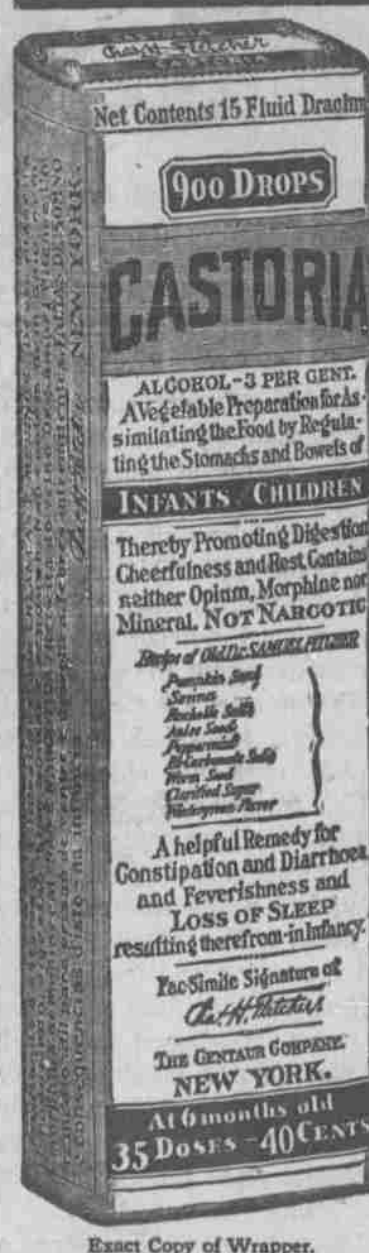
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Major R. K. Latham returned Monday from Washington, D. C., where he attended a conference of representatives of the military school of the U. S. A.

### Periodic Bilious Attacks.

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